Jenmies and Jenmom lands in the State.

68. *MR. P. C. NARAYANAN BHATTATIRIPAD (*Travancore Jenmies, South*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the total number of survey numbers of Jenmom lands in Travancore ; and

(*b*) the total number of Jenmies ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) 3,55,414.

(*b*) 5,435 (approximate).

MR. P. C. NARAYANAN BHATTATHIRIPAD (*Travancore Jenmies, South*) : തനിജന്മം വസ്തുക്കളുടെ സംഖ്യയാണോ പറഞ്ഞത് അതോ പണ്ടാരപാട്ടം വസ്തുക്കൾ കാണപ്പാട്ടം കൊടുത്തിട്ടുള്ളതുകൂടി ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*) : ജന്മവസ്തുക്കളെസംബന്ധിച്ചാണല്ലോ ചോദ്യം. അതിനുത്തരമാണ് പറഞ്ഞത്.

MR. P. C. NARAYANAN BHATTATHIRIPAD (*Travancore Jenmies, South*) : പണ്ടാരവകവസ്തുക്കൾ കാണപ്പാട്ടംകൊടുത്തിട്ടുള്ളതായിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*) : ജന്മം വക വസ്തുക്കളുടെ കണക്കാണ് കൊടുത്തിരിക്കുന്നത്.

Malayalam Typewriting.

69. *MR. P. C. NARAYANAN BHATTATHIRIPAD (*Travancore Jenmies, South*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) what they have done till now, in popularising Malayalam Typewriting ;

(*b*) whether, on account of the work done till now, Malayalam Typewriting has received satisfactory encouragement and progress ; and

(*c*) what course do they propose to take in future in order to make the Malayalam Typewriting more popular ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : (*a*), (*b*) *and* (*c*). Negotiations are being carried on with a firm for the supply of machines fitted with the keyboard devised by Mr. N. S. Pandalai. The supply of machines for use in offices will be made only if, after demonstration, the keyboard is found satisfactory.

MR. P. C. NARAYANAN BHATTATHIRIPAD (*Travancore Jenmies, South*) : ഈ വിഷയം ഗവണ്മെന്റിന്റെ ആലോചനക്കു വന്നിട്ടു എതുകൊല്ലമായി?

MR. T. C. THOMMAN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : രണ്ടുമൂന്നു കൊല്ലമായിക്കാണും.

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MR. M. SIVATANU PILLAI (*Tovala*) : May I know whether Government propose to do the same thing in regard to the Tamil Typewriter ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : Am I to answer this question.

DEPUTY PRESIDENT : I do not think that the word Malayalam includes Tamil. Therefore it cannot be allowed.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : Does the member know that the inventor of the Malayalam Typewriter is a Travancorean ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : I believe so.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : Has he been encouraged by Government ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : Certainly.

A Railway Station at Venkulam.

70. *MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the necessity for opening a Railway Station at Venkulam, to the north of Warkalai, has been brought to their notice ;

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, the steps if any taken in the matter ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The South Indian Railway was moved in the matter, and two sites were selected for the Station. The matter has been ordered to lie over on account of financial stringency.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*) : When was the order passed ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : 21st August.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*) : Is the member aware that Venkulam and Edava are thickly populated places ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : Yes.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*) : Does the member know that there is no nearest approach road to the Railway Station at Venkulam ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : The question was considered and Government decided to open a station. But due to want of funds the scheme is allowed to lie over at present.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chiraykil II*) : My point is, does the Government know that there is no approach road ?

DEPUTY PRESIDENT : Probably the member is putting this question with a definite object to establish the urgency of the matter.

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Ag. Secretary to Government*) : I claim notice.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*) : Will the Government be pleased to address the Railway authorities for opening a new station in view of the fact that the surrounding locality is thickly populated ?

DEPUTY PRESIDENT : For want of funds, the matter is allowed to lie over. That was the answer.

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